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# Copper (present as cuprous oxide)

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## Registration Decision Statement[1] for Copper (Present as Cuprous Oxide)

Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA), under the authority of the *Pest Control Products Act* and Regulations, is granting full registration for the sale and use of SCM Metal Products Cuprous Oxide and Cupron Enhanced EOS, containing the technical grade active ingredient copper (present as cuprous oxide). Cupron Enhanced EOS is an end-use product made of a plastic matrix that contains cuprous oxide as the active ingredient, which can be shaped and formed into solid surfaces used in the manufacture and fabrication of non-food contact touch surfaces and objects to be used in various areas.

This decision is consistent with the Proposed Registration Decision PRD2016-12, *Copper (Present as Cuprous Oxide),* which contains a detailed evaluation of the information submitted in support of this registration. The evaluation found that, under the approved conditions of use, the products have value and do not present an unacceptable risk to human health or the environment. The PMRA received no comments on PRD2016-12, *Copper (Present as Cuprous Oxide).*

## Other Information

The relevant test data on which the decision is based (as referenced in PRD2016-12, *Copper (Present as Cuprous Oxide)* are available for public inspection, upon application, in the PMRA's Reading Room (located in Ottawa). For more information, please contact the PMRA's Pest Management Information Service by phone (1-800-267-6315) or by e-mail (pmra.infoserv@hc-sc.gc.ca).

Any person may file a notice of objection[2] regarding this registration decision within 60 days from the date of publication of this Registration Decision. For more information regarding the basis for objecting (which must be based on scientific grounds), please refer to the Pesticides and Pest Management portion of the Health Canada's website (Request a Reconsideration of Decision) or contact the PMRA's Pest Management Information Service.

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1 "Decision statement" as required by subsection 28(5) of the *Pest Control Products Act.*

2 As per subsection 35(1) of the *Pest Control Products Act.*